

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	TAKEDA et al.	Confirmation No.:	8009
Serial No. :	10/548,408	Group Art Unit:	3768
Atty. No. :	065361.00002	Examiner:	Cheng, Jacqueline
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Title :	AGENT FOR DETECTING SENTINEL LYMPH NODE AND DETECTION METHOD		

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 1, 2009, please amend the claims as follows and consider the accompanying remarks. A complete listing of all claims pending in the application is included in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121. The proper fee for a one-month extension of time is submitted herewith. Because Friday, January 1, 2010 was a federal holiday, this Amendment is timely filed on Monday, January 4, 2010 within the proper period of time provided by the one-month extension of time.